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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

(Case No. 00-713-i16)

In re Application of:)	
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Chad A. Mirkin, et al.)	
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Serial No.: 09/976,601)	Examiner: Jezia Riley
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Filed: October 12, 2001)	Art Unit: 1637
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For: NANOPARTICLES HAVING)	Confirmation No.: 4367
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the Final Office Action dated
March 4, 2004, of the primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 433-461.

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The item(s) checked below are applicable:

1. ☒ An extension of time (one month) to respond to the final rejection is required: a petition and fee of \$55.00 are enclosed.
2. ☒ A timely response to the final rejection has been filed as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
3. ☒ Fee \$165.00
☒ Enclosed
☐ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)
☒ Charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 13-2490.

Respectfully submitted,



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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

In regard to the above identified application.

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
 - a) Response to Office Action of March 4, 2004
 - b) Notice of Appeal
 - c) Appendix A
 - d) Petition for One Month Extension of Time
 - e) Return Receipt Postcard
2. With respect to fees:
 - a) A check in the amount of \$220.00 is enclosed.
 - b) General Authorization: Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2490.
3. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.10: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee", addressed to the Asst. Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on this 29th day of June, 2004 under the Express Mail label No. EV334690909US.

Date:

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